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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed August 30, 2006, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

> THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE FEES FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION AND ABSTRACT

Please replace the original specification and abstract with the enclosed substitute specification and abstract.